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For: HYDROXAMIC ACID DERIVATIVES HAVING ANTI-INFLAMMATORY ACTION

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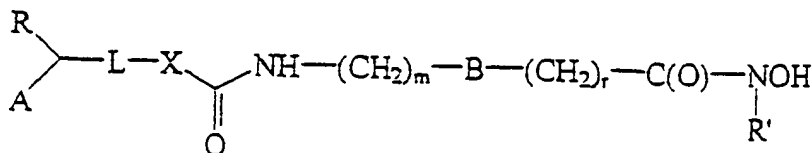
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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

PETITION TO WAIVE THE RULES

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.183, it is hereby petitioned that 37 CFR 1.221 be waived to permit grant of a Request for Republication of the present application, published on May 11, 2006 as US 2006/0100285 A1, to correct a material mistake made by the Office which is apparent from the Office records. The Request for Republication is being submitted simultaneously herewith. The material mistake is in regard to the formula (I) appearing the Abstract, at paragraph [0007] and in claim 18. As will be clear from the application papers as filed, formula (I) should read as follows:



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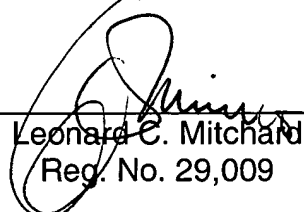
The present application was published on May 11, 2006, thereby making the request for republication due by July 11, 2006. The undersigned received instructions to investigate the matter on July 3, 2006 when the undersigned was out of the office for the holiday period. The undersigned has just now realized the nature of the mistake in regard to formula (I), and is presenting a request for republication simultaneously herewith. It is believed that justice is served by granting the present Petition as the delay in presenting the Request for Republication is only three days, and such delay was unintentional. Grant of the present Petition is respectfully requested.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the Petition fee for this matter to our Deposit Account No **14-1140**.

Respectfully submitted,

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